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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
A	US 5675203 A (SCHULZE et al) 7 October 1997	
A	GB 2307109 A (FLACK) 14 May 1997	
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